

BOARD OF SUPERVISORS
COUNTY OF YORK
YORKTOWN, VIRGINIA

Resolution

At a regular meeting of the York County Board of Supervisors held in the Board Room, York Hall, Yorktown, Virginia, on the ____ day of ____, 2003:

Present

Vote

James S. Burgett, Chairman
Thomas G. Shepperd, Jr., Vice Chairman
Sheila S. Noll
Donald E. Wiggins
Walter C. Zaremba

On motion of _____, which carried ____, the following resolution was adopted:

A RESOLUTION TO COMMEND THE 2002-2003 YORK COUNTY YOUTH COMMISSION AND TO EXPRESS THE APPRECIATION OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS TO EACH INDIVIDUAL MEMBER FOR THEIR DEDICATED SERVICE TO YORK COUNTY

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors established the York County Youth Commission in 1983; and

WHEREAS, the following youth,

James Noel, Chairman
Nicole Eickhoff, Vice Chairman
Tatiana Chaterji, Secretary
Jessica Case
Arrion Dennis
Brittany Hall
Katherine Kross
Ryan McConnell
Ben Perkins
Courtney Rosso
Kyle Rowley
Brian Tai
Chad Vaillancourt
Brittany Wicks
Shamus Williams

have served with distinction on the 2002-2003 York County Youth Commission; and

WHEREAS, the Board of Supervisors is extremely pleased with the worthwhile activities undertaken by the Youth Commission this past year and wishes to publicly recognize the members for their accomplishments, which include:

Preparing for the year by attending training and teambuilding sessions during a two-day orientation period;

Presenting quarterly activity reports to the Board of Supervisors;

Distributing American flags and brochures during the 2002 Yorktown Day Celebration;

Encouraging 18-year olds to register for voting in the November General Election by consulting with the Registrar and designing and distributing an informational flyer through the county's public high schools;

Co-sponsoring the County's third annual Youth Week event focusing on character development and featuring a nationally known youth speaker who spoke to high school students in assemblies throughout the week;

Publicizing and hosting a community meeting at Tabb High School where this speaker met with parents and teens in the best-attended Youth Week evening session yet;

Assisting the Historical Committee by distributing programs and luminaries at the 2002 Christmas Tree-Lighting Ceremony in Yorktown;

Partnering with Parks and Recreation to coordinate and publicize the third annual countywide high school ski trip to Wintergreen Ski Resort, which saw another increase in participation with over 100 students enjoying the day;

Hosting an afternoon of "Valentine Bingo" at the Senior Center of York, providing prizes and refreshments that were enjoyed by the young and young-at-heart alike;

Meeting with members of the James-City County Youth Advisory Council to develop ideas for a separate youth track of seminars and activities at this year's Neighborhoods Conference, and also volunteering and participating in this event where some 65 youth from grades K – 12 attended workshops divided into four age levels;

Working to help hand score, analyze, and report to the Board and community on the commission's "Survey 2002," which explores interests and con-

cerns of the county's high school age citizens and includes Youth Commission recommendations to more effectively serve as a link between the Board and the county's youth;

Appearing before the Board of Supervisors in a public budget hearing and successfully petitioning the Board's support for \$500 educational scholarships to be given to each of the four recipients of the 2004 Outstanding Youth Awards;

Assisting the Historical Committee in its welcoming reception for the 2003 exchange students from the county's sister city of Zweibrücken, Germany, and welcoming the delegation on behalf of York County's youth;

Co-sponsoring the annual Outstanding Youth Awards program with the Board of Supervisors and honoring the award recipients with a reception and formal presentation in May;

Conducting several Saturday morning road cleanups along Goodwin Neck Road again this year as part of VDOT's "Adopt-a-Highway" program; and

Sponsoring a countywide high school Talent Show at York High School's Spring Carnival;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the York County Board of Supervisors on this the _____ day of _____, 2003, that the 2002-2003 York County Youth Commission members be, and they hereby are, congratulated for their dedicated service to York County and commended for an outstanding year;

BE IT STILL FURTHER RESOLVED that the York County Board of Supervisors hereby extends its best wishes for continued success to these leaders of today and tomorrow.